

Help Out on State Natural Areas



Empire Prairie (Westport Drumlin)



Help care for the Westport Drumlin Unit! Join State Natural Areas staff and volunteers and Groundswell Conservancy to restore this special remnant site. We will focus on a brushy area by burning piles and cutting and burning brush. This will be the first step in helping expand the prairie into this degraded area. No skills needed you will be trained onsite.

Date: January 15 (Tuesday)

Time: 9-noon

Directions: Westport drumlin (just north of Madison) at the end of the lane with 2 buildings, watch for an SNA volunteer sign marking the lane. Meeting place: [Google map](#).

What to bring: Dress for the weather, sturdy boots and clothes, gloves. Burning embers from fires can put small holes in clothes.

Contact: Please RSVP for the workday by contacting Jared Urban at jared.urban@wisconsin.gov or 608-228-4349. Last minute showing up is also welcome.

Cancellation: If there is no snow we will cancel. A message will be left at 608-228-4349 at least 2 hours before the workday, if there is no cancellation message the workday will continue as scheduled.

